

# ZILKA-KOTAB

PC  
ZILKA, KOTAB & FEECE<sup>TM</sup>

**RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****APR 07 2005**95 SOUTH MARKET ST., SUITE 420  
SAN JOSE, CA 95113TELEPHONE (408) 971-2573  
FAX (408) 971-4660**FAX COVER SHEET**

<b>Date:</b> April 7, 2005	<b>Phone Number</b>	<b>Fax Number</b>
<b>To:</b> Examiner Mitchell R. Slavitt		(703) 872-9306
<b>From:</b> Dominic M. Kotab		

**Docket No.:** HIT1P030/HSJ920030155US1**App. No: 10/656,023****Total Number of Pages Being Transmitted, Including Cover Sheet: 15****Message:**

Please deliver to Examiner Slavitt.

Thank you,



Dominic M. Kotab

☐ Original to follow Via Regular Mail ☒ Original will Not be Sent ☐ Original will follow Via Overnight Courier

\*\*\*\*\*  
The information contained in this facsimile message is attorney privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or copy of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please immediately notify us by telephone (if long distance, please call collect) and return the original message to us at the above address via the U.S. Postal Service. Thank you.  
\*\*\*\*\*

IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE ALL PAGES OR IF YOU ENCOUNTER  
ANY OTHER DIFFICULTY, PLEASE PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ NANCY \_\_\_\_\_  
AT (408) 971-2573 AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE

April 7, 2005

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Mike SUK

Application No.: 10/656,023

Filed: 09/05/2003

For: INCREASING HEAD-DISK INTERFACE  
RELIABILITY USING CONTROLLED  
HEATING

Attorney Docket No.:

HIT1P030/HSJ920030155US1

Examiner: SLAVITT, Mitchell R.

Group Art Unit: 2651

Date: April 7, 2005

**RECEIVED**  
**CENTRAL FAX CENTER****APR 07 2005**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA at facsimile number (703) 872-9306 on April 7, 2005.

Signed: 

Nancy N. Rushton

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-2587 (Order No. HSJ9-2003-0155US1).
- ☒ If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2587 (Order No. HSJ9-2003-0155US1). A copy of this sheet is enclosed for billing purposes.

Respectfully submitted,  
Zilka-Kotab, PC



Dominic M. Kotab  
Registration No. 42,762

P.O. Box 721120  
San Jose, CA 95172-1120  
Telephone: (408) 971-2573

(Revised 1/96)

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Mike SUK

Application No.: 10/656,023

Filed: 09/05/2003

For: INCREASING HEAD-DISK INTERFACE  
RELIABILITY USING CONTROLLED  
HEATING

Attorney Docket No.:

HIT1P030/HSJ920030155US1

Examiner: SLAVITT, Mitchell R.

Group Art Unit: 2651


Date: April 7, 2005

COPY

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA at facsimile number (703) 872-9306 on April 7, 2005.

Signed:

  
Nancy N. Rushton


Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-2587 (Order No. HSI9-2003-0155US1).
- ☒ If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2587 (Order No. HSI9-2003-0155US1). A copy of this sheet is enclosed for billing purposes.

Respectfully submitted,  
Zilka-Kotab, PC



Dominic M. Kotab  
Registration No. 42,762

P.O. Box 721120  
San Jose, CA 95172-1120  
Telephone: (408) 971-2573

(Revised 1/96)

**RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****APR 07 2005****PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of	)	
	)	
Mike SUK	)	Group Art Unit: 2651
	)	
Application No. 10/656,023	)	Examiner: SLAVITT, Mitchell R.
	)	
Filed: 09/05/2003	)	Attorney Docket No. HIT1P030/ HSJ920030155US1
	)	
For: INCREASING HEAD-DISK INTERFACE RELIABILITY USING CONTROLLED HEATING	)	Date: April 7, 2005
	)	

**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents via facsimile to fax number: (703) 872-9306 on April 7, 2005.

Signed:

  
Nancy Rushton**AMENDMENT A**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 7, 2005, please enter the following amendments believed to place the claims in condition for allowance.

**HIT1 P030/HSJ9-2003-0155US1**

- 1 -

Zilka-Kotab, PC  
P.O. Box 721120  
San Jose, California 95172-1120  
Telephone: (408) 971-2573  
Facsimile: (408) 971-4660

HIT1P030/HSJ920030155US1

- 12 -